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PATENT APPLICATION

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Application No.: 09/236,339)		CENTER	2003	
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Filed: January 25, 1999)	सान है बे हैं-	2800		
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For: OPTICAL-ELEMENT	·)				
HOLDING MECHANISM,	:				
IMAGE-SHAKE)				
CORRECTING DEVICE AND	:				
OPTICAL APPARATUS)	December 27, 2002			

Commissioner for Patents **Box AF** Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 27, 2002, a Petition for Extension of Time and the requisite fee having been timely filed on November 27, 2002, for an additional month from November 27, 2002, to December 27, 2002.

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Submitted herewith is a check for \$520.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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